Beneath The Underdog

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Come on, come on, let's try and make it
You tell yourself, this time for sure
But I would rather sit and crave it

I'm not wanted anymoreI had a kind of friend in you

It wasn't pleasant all the time

But though my heart is jaded

I think winnin' is overratedLookin' through frosted windows

I envy the soft contented sighs

But I don't get people

I don't get the things they think are reasonableSo you'll find me

Here right beneath the underdog

When life's impossible

Hold tight beneath the underdog

That's where I'm comfortableAnd I know I'm a fool, perhaps

I rationalize what I can't have

But no, here right beneath the underdog

That's where I'd rather beMaybe someday I will see

A kind of personality

Who makes the world betterAnd when that happens I may find

I miss the nervous daily grind

It's hard to stand this peace of mind

It's truly finer on the outside

Ooh, the outsideI've conquered mountains, so to speak

And looked down from a higher peak

But it seems so creepy

When it can leave you feelin' sleazySo settin' off from this hill camp

I'd rather be her little tramp

My own companion

Or maybe with one whose tail is waggin'So you'll find us

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